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To whom it may concern,

My name is Peter Egloff. I am a musician and teacher of music. I studied at Conservatory of Zurich and Winterthur. Experience for years in teaching classical guitar to children and adults gave me the impression, that not only the ability and the knowledge of an artist is important, but much more the deepness of his inner experience.

I was teaching and giving concerts for many years and was although not satisfied, because I had the feeling, that always something was missing. Success could not make me happy, although I was looking for it so long.

Therefore and also for pedagogical reasons I decided to do a psychoanalysis and therapy and I found out, that nobody and nothing could make me content without finding the ground of my inner being and the sense of my life.

I found out, that it is not so relevant, what I am actually doing, than who I am, when I am doing it, that means in which kind of spirit.

I'd never have come to this solution, without finding a new way of self experience which has been meditation. Searching for this, I came across the teachings of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh. His understanding and his love for the western and eastern spirit was tremendously helpful for me, that I decided to become one of his disciples.

He gave me back the trust in my inner capability. He could unite all the opposites in my mind and my inner being.

The way of my music playing and also the way of my teaching <sup>changed</sup> completely and became more creative, successful and satisfactory. The relationship to my students became deeper and more trustful.

Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh is really an extraordinary personality and a unic spiritual teacher. Many of my colleagues and friends have read some or several of his over 300 publications. Even if he is no more speaking now, his books speak for him and his silence says even more than ever could have been said, to those, who are far-sighted, courageous and sensitive enough to get in contact with this mysterious fact.

Any of my friends, not only disciples agree, that it would <sup>be</sup> a loss for the United States of America to deny a permanent residence permit to a man of his capability.

America was always well-known for his tolerance and openness against every innovative and progressive trend. I can't believe, not even imagine, that a country, which was always open for intelligent people can deny his residence. America gave domicile to men like Albert Einstein. How can it refuse and say no to Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh?!

I hope that you, who are responsible for this matter, may think over this case and you may come to a fair decision.

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